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Title of the Invention: AUTOMATIC BIOLOGICAL ANALYTE TESTING
 METER WITH INTEGRATED LANCING DEVICE
 AND METHODS OF USE

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of **April 8, 2008**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page **2** of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page **8** of this paper.